

**REMARKS**

Regarding the Statement of Reasons for Allowance dated March 15, 2007, applicants' note that elements listed in the Statement are not present in combination in any allowed independent claim. If the Examiner's position is that the elements noted in the Examiner's statement must be present in combination in each claim for each claim to be allowable, the Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw the indication of allowance and to present a formalized Office action substantiating such a position. Otherwise, the record will reflect that each claim has been allowed for a combination of elements actually recited therein.

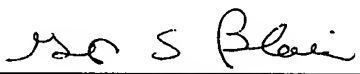
Accordingly, in view of the above remarks, applicants believe the present application to be in condition for allowance and respectfully request issuance of the application.

If the Examiner believes that contact with applicants' attorney would be advantageous toward the disposition of this case, the Examiner is herein requested to call applicants' representative at the phone number listed below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 50-0289.

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Respectfully submitted,

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